

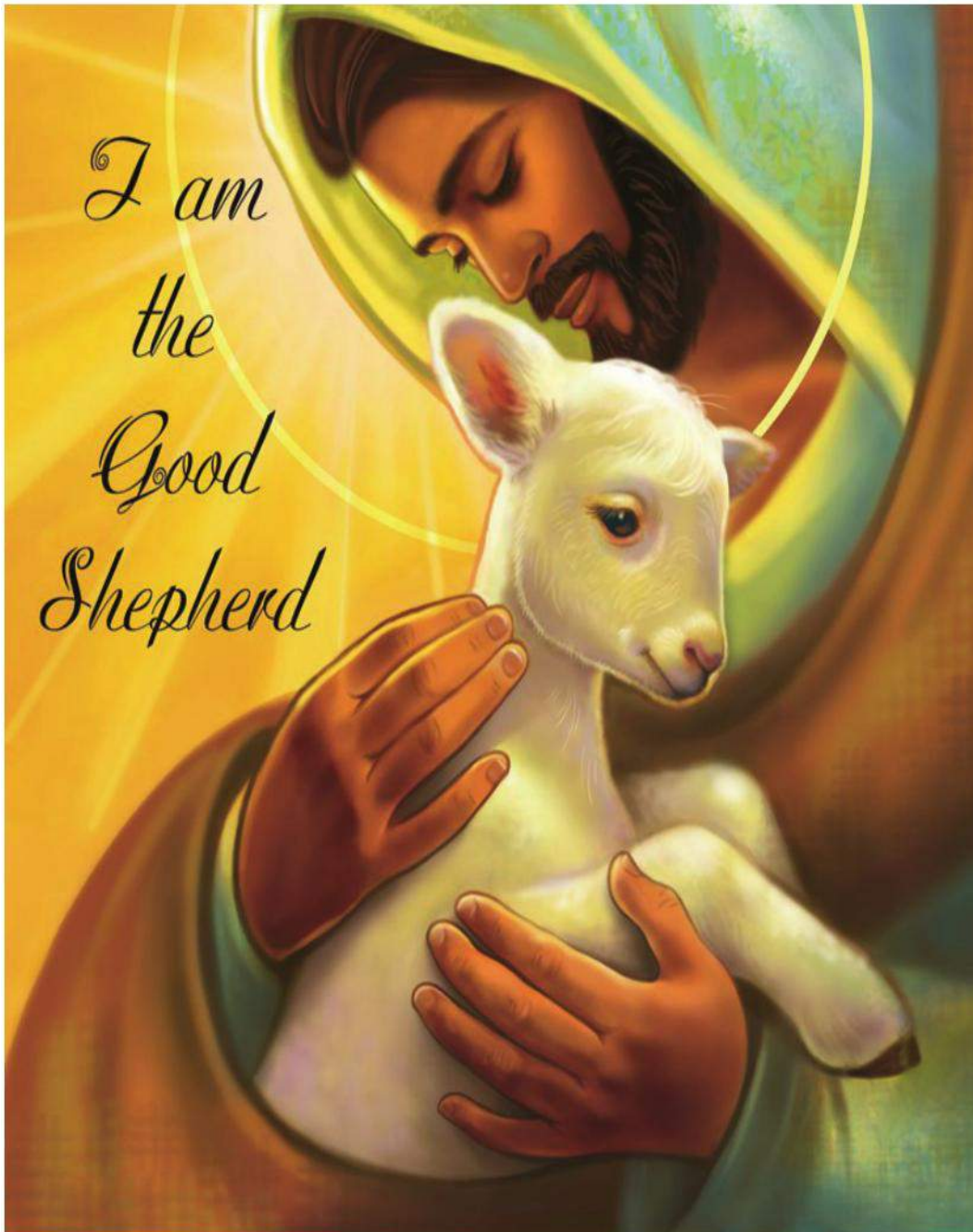


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## Fourth Sunday of Easter





*From The Desk Of Our Pastor*

*V. Rev. D. Andrew Canon Garner, KHS*

*Forming Faithful Disciples as Good Stewards*

**4<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER**

21 April 2024

*“I am the good shepherd ... and I lay down my life for the sheep ... and they will heed my voice.”* - John 10:14-1

When you pray, do you only ask Jesus for the things that you want? Do you ever ask Jesus what He wants from you? How do you listen for His response? Many times Jesus responds in “quiet whispers” that are not so obvious. So, take time every day, in silence, to actively listen for His voice.

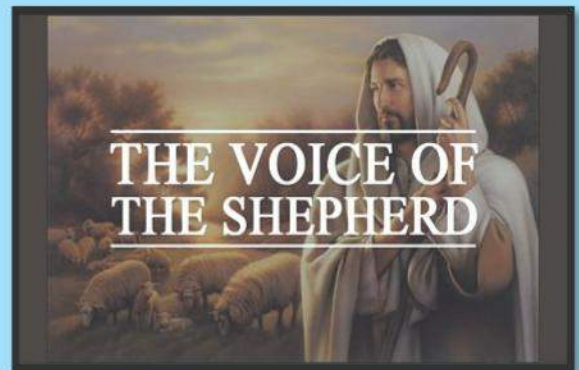
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21 de abril de 2024

*“Yo soy el buen pastor ... Y doy mi vida por mis ovejas ... Y ellas reconocerán mi voz.”*

- Juan 10:14-1

Cuándo usted reza, ¿solo le pide a Jesús las cosas que usted quiere? ¿Alguna vez le ha preguntado a Jesús lo que Él quiere de usted? ¿Cómo escucha Su respuesta? Muchas veces Jesús responde en “suaves murmullos” que no son obvios. Por lo tanto, dedique tiempo cada día, en silencio, para escuchar activamente Su voz.



**Financial Stewardship of the Parish**  
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Remember Your Offerings

Offerings for the weekend of	April 13-14
Needed for Budget	\$ 12,521.00
Regular Offerings	\$ 5,572.00
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TOTAL	\$ 6,691.02
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# Mass Intentions

## SUNDAY APRIL 21

7:30am	St. Lawrence Mass	+Fr. John Noe
9:00am	Mass	+John Michael "Mickey" Akers
11:15am	Mass	+Michael Dowling
4:00pm	Spanish Mass	People of the Parish

## MONDAY APRIL 22

8:00am	Mass	+John Michael "Mickey" Akers
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## TUESDAY APRIL 23

8:00am	Mass	+Ron Ross
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## WEDNESDAY APRIL 24

8:00am	Mass	+John Michael "Mickey" Akers
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## THURSDAY APRIL 25

8:00am	Mass	+James Lee Leggett
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## FRIDAY APRIL 26

8:00am	Mass	+John Michael "Mickey" Akers
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## SATURDAY APRIL 27

8:00am	<b>NO MASS</b>	<b>NO MASS</b>
4:00pm	Mass	+Michael Dowling

## SUNDAY APRIL 28

7:30am	St. Lawrence Mass	+John Michael "Mickey" Akers
9:00am	Mass	+Ron Ross
11:15am	Mass	First Holy Communion Class
4:00pm	Spanish Mass	People of the Parish

## MASS READINGS FOR THE WEEK

### APRIL 21: Fourth Sunday of Easter:

First Reading: Acts 4: 8-12  
 Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 118: 1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29  
 Second Reading: First John 3: 1-2  
 Alleluia: John 10: 14  
 Gospel: John 10: 11-18

### APRIL 22: Monday of the Fourth Week of Easter:

First Reading: Acts 11: 1-18  
 Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 42: 2-3; 43: 3-4  
 Alleluia: John 10: 14  
 Gospel: John 10: 1-10

### APRIL 23: Tuesday of the Fourth Week of Easter:

First Reading: Acts 11: 19-26  
 Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 87: 1b-3, 4-5, 6-7  
 Alleluia: John 10: 27  
 Gospel: John 10: 22-30

### APRIL 24: Wednesday of the Fourth Week of Easter:

First Reading: Acts 12: 24 – 13: 5  
 Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 67: 2-3, 5, 6 and 8  
 Alleluia: John 8: 12  
 Gospel: John 12: 44-50

### APRIL 25: Feast of Saint Mark, evangelist:

First Reading: First Peter 5: 5b-14  
 Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 89: 2-3, 6-7, 16-17  
 Alleluia: First Corinthians 1: 23a, 24b  
 Gospel: Mark 16: 15-20

### APRIL 26: Friday of the Fourth Week of Easter:

First Reading: Acts 13: 26-33  
 Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 2: 6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab  
 Alleluia: John 14: 6  
 Gospel: John 14: 1-6

### APRIL 27: Saturday of the Fourth Week of Easter:

First Reading: Acts 13: 44-52  
 Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 98: 1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4  
 Alleluia: John 8: 31b-32  
 Gospel: John 14: 7-14

### APRIL 28: Fifth Sunday of Easter:

First Reading: Acts 9: 26-31  
 Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 22: 26-27, 28, 30, 31-32  
 Second Reading: First John 3: 18-24  
 Alleluia: John 15: 4a, 5b  
 Gospel: John 15: 1-8



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## CATECHETICAL † CORNER

### CELEBRATING EASTER – SOME EASTER FAQ



#### What is the meaning of the white lily at Easter?

Lilies are the most popular Easter flower and used to decorate churches during Easter. The distinctive trumpet shape signifies Jesus’ triumph over death at the Resurrection. Lilies are mentioned in the Bible and are symbols of rebirth and purity.

#### Are Easter eggs religious?

Easter eggs symbolize Christ emerging from the tomb. They have become popular items for secular celebrations around Easter, but they have religious roots. Pope Francis has customarily sent a van filled with chocolate eggs to children at local hospitals.

#### Where did the Easter Bunny come from? What does it have to do with Easter?

The Easter Bunny came to the U.S. in the 1800s from German immigrants who had the tradition of “Oschter Haws.” The Easter Bunny can be a symbol of giving, and a reminder of all that Christ has given us.

#### Why does the Easter Bunny bring eggs?

If the Easter Bunny is a symbol of giving, and eggs are a reminder of Jesus’s resurrection, it makes sense that the Easter Bunny brings gifts of eggs.

#### What is the color of Easter?

Although pastel colors are popular in Easter outfits, white is the official color of Easter, and a priest’s garments during Easter will be white and gold.



**Please join us 20 minutes before every Mass in May for the praying of the Most Holy Rosary of our Blessed Mother. If you are interested in leading one of these times, please contact Scott Osborn or Judy Fields.**



**Holy Family faithful, several of you have expressed interest in the National Eucharistic Revival events occurring in Kentucky and Indiana this summer. Whether you are interested in attending the Bardstown events on the St. Juan Diego Pilgrimage trailer or the National Eucharistic Congress—both in July—please contact Scott Osborn.**

## EUCCHARISTIC REVIVAL

### SUNDAY IS A DAY OF MISSION



#### FROM THE MASS, SOURCE AND SUMMIT OF LIFE

“*Ite, missa est,*” means literally “Go, it has been sent,” carrying the meaning “Go, you are sent.” We are sent to bring the fruits of the Eucharist to the world. There are several options for the dismissal of the assembly from Mass each of them having substantial meaning and direct us toward the mission of the Church.

Go forth, the Mass is ended.

Go and announce the Gospel of the Lord.

Go in peace, glorifying the Lord by your life.

Go in peace. (The Roman Missal)

#### FROM THE RICHES OF OUR FAITH

Each Sunday we hear the Good News proclaimed – God’s own communication of love and mercy. Each Sunday we receive the Body of Christ to become the Body of Christ in this world. At the end of Mass, the celebrant sends us forth on a mission to proclaim the Good News with our lives, and to be Good News for others by being instruments of God’s love. Evangelization is all about proclaiming the Good News of the salvation of Christ to the world. We do it through word, action and attitude.

From the sustaining banquet of the Eucharist, where worship has been rendered to God, we are sent to “be” Christ for the whole world. The Eucharist, source and summit of the life of the Church, does not exhaust all the Church’s endeavors, as the Second Vatican Council teaches. We must become what we receive, and cooperate with His plan for the salvation of the whole world.

“Of course, all of us are called to mature in our work as evangelizers. We want to have better training, a deepening love and a clearer witness to the Gospel. In this sense, we ought to let others be constantly evangelizing us. But this does not mean that we should postpone the evangelizing mission; rather, each of us should find ways to communicate Jesus wherever we are. All of us are called to offer others an explicit witness to the saving love of the Lord, who despite our imperfections offers us his closeness, his word and his strength, and gives meaning to our lives. In your heart you know that it is not the same to live without him; what you have come to realize, what has helped you to live and given you hope, is what you also need to communicate to others” (*Evangelli Gaudium*, 121).

#### Live It!

- Fall in love with Jesus and live as His disciple. This means helping another person do the same. Who in your life needs to know of God’s great love for them? Can you bring a meal to a neighbor or sit and visit with them? Reflect and give thanks for the ways you can “serve” others.
- What does, “Go in peace, glorifying the Lord by your life,” mean for you at this point in your life? Discuss and plan a “Family Service Project” based on the message you heard in the homily delivered at the Mass you attended. Some service opportunities include Catholic Charities, the Community Kitchen, and a host of other possibilities in our community.
- Spend some time as a family going through a newspaper, news magazine, or a news program on television or online and choose a story that the whole family agrees needs special prayer. Dedicate some time to offering some prayers and intercession for this cause.

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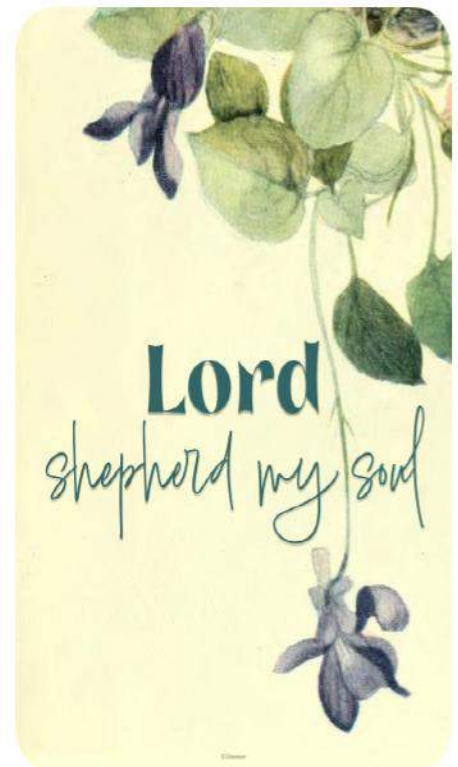
*In Loving Memory*  Funeral Mass for John Michael "Mickey" Akers,

father of Lisa Johnson and Cathy Whaley, will be celebrated on Wed., April 24 at 11:00 A.M. at Saint Joseph Catholic Church in Ironton.

Visitation will be 9:00 - 10:30 A.M. with the Rosary prayer at 10:30.

Burial will be at Calvary Cemetery in Ironton.

A luncheon at the Knights of Columbus hall will immediately follow the burial.





Please Keep All Of Our Holy Family Parish & School Families In Your Prayers.

**Prayers Needed Especially For:**

All Abused Children, Adrianna Auvil, Thomas and Deborah Byrne, Mike Edmiston, Allen Flath, Sr, Linda Fraley, Jan Hammonds, Peggy Hixon, Janice Lee, Garnet McComis, Ernest Pitt, Jo Ann Renfro, Jim Schlicht, Kelly Serey, Rita Walker, Laura Washburn, Kris Wehe

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